

ADMINISTRATOR SCOTT PRUITT

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WOTUS Feedback Data

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Response Tally

Attorney Generals: 20

Governors: 19

Depts. of Agriculture: 12

Depts. of Environmental Quality: 20

Responses of Interest

Gov. LePage (ME) supports reinstatement of previous definition of WOTUS and supports redefining federal Clean Water Act jurisdiction in accordance with Justice Scalia's plurality opinion in *Rapanos v. U.S.*

Gov. McAuliffe (VA) via Virginia Dept. of Agriculture and Consumer Services- finds Clean Water Rule places "significant regulatory burden on Virginia Farmers" and has allowed the federal government to regulate seasonal bodies of water previously regulated by the state. The oversight of non-navigable waters must remain at the state level.

Western Governors (19 Western States) support full collaboration with the states during review of the CWA after EPA's failure to recognize primary authority of states in management and allocation of water resources.

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Assoc. of Clean Water Administrators
Assoc. of Floodplain Managers
Assoc. of Wetland Managers
Environmental Council of the States
National Assoc. of Clean Water Agencies
National Assoc. of Conservation Districts
National Assoc. of Counties
National Assoc. of State Dept. of Agriculture
National Conference of State Legislatures
National Governors Association
National Municipal Stormwater Alliance
National Water Resources Association
United States Conference of Mayors
Western States Water Council

Alabama:

Alabama Dept. of Agriculture and Industries
Attorney General Steve Marshall

Alaska:

Gov. Bill Walker
Attorney General Jahna Lindemuth

Arizona:

Gov. Douglas Ducey

Arkansas

Gov. Asa Hutchinson
Attorney General Leslie Rutledge
Arkansas Agriculture Department
Arkansas Dept. of Environmental Quality via
ECOS

California:

Gov. Edmund G. Brown, Jr.
California Assoc. of Sanitation Agencies

Colorado:

Dept. of Public Health and Environment via
ECOS

Colorado Dept. of Agriculture
Colorado Dept. of Natural Resources
Colorado Dept. of Public Health and
Environment

Connecticut:

Connecticut Dept. of Environmental Protection

Florida:

Florida Dept. of Agriculture and Consumer
Services
Florida Dept. of Environmental Protection

Georgia:

Attorney General Christopher M. Carr
Georgia Environmental Protection Agency

Hawaii:

Gov. David Ige

Idaho:

Gov. Butch Otter
Idaho Dept. of Agriculture
Idaho Dept. of Environmental Quality
Idaho Dept. of Water Resources

Indiana:

Assoc. of Indiana Counties
Attorney General Curtis Hill

Iowa:

Gov. Kim Reynolds
Lt. Gov. Adam Gregg

Kansas:

Gov. Sam Brownback
Attorney General Derek Schmidt

Kentucky:

Attorney General Andy Beshear

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Louisiana:

Attorney General Jeff Landry

Maine:

Gov. Paul LePage

Massachusetts:

Massachusetts Dept. of Environmental
Protection

Michigan:

Attorney General Bill Schuette
Michigan Dept. of Environmental Quality
Michigan Dept. of Agriculture and Rural
Development

Minnesota:

Minnesota Dept. of Natural Resources
Minnesota Pollution Control Agency

Mississippi:

Gov. Phil Bryant

Missouri:

Gov. Eric Greitens
Attorney General Joshua Hawley
Missouri Dept. of Natural Resources

Montana:

Gov. Steve Bullock on behalf of Western
Governors

Nebraska:

Gov. Pete Ricketts
Nebraska Dept. of Environmental Quality
Nebraska Dept. of Agriculture

Nevada:

Gov. Brian Sandoval

Attorney General Adam Laxalt

Nevada Division of Environmental Protection

New Hampshire:

Gov. Chris Sununu

New Mexico:

New Mexico Dept. of Agriculture

North Dakota:

Gov. Doug Burgum

Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem

Ohio:

Attorney General Mike DeWine
Ohio Dept. of Natural Resources
Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

Oklahoma:

Attorney General Mike Hunter

Oregon:

Oregon Dept. of Environmental Quality
Oregon Dept. of Fish and Wildlife
Oregon Dept. of Forestry
Oregon Dept. of State Lands

Pennsylvania:

Pennsylvania Dept. of Environmental Protection
Pennsylvania Dept. of Conservation and Natural
Resources
Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture
Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission

South Carolina:

Gov. Henry McMaster
Attorney General Alan Wilson

South Dakota:

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South Dakota Dept. of Environment and Natural
Resources

Gov. Matthew H. Mead

Dept. of Environmental Quality, Director

Tennessee:

Tennessee Dept. of Agriculture

Tennessee Dept. of Environment and
Conservation

Texas:

Attorney General Ken Paxton

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

Texas Dept. of Agriculture

Texas Dept. of Transportation

Texas General Land Office

Texas Railroad Commission

Utah:

Attorney General Sean Reyes

Virginia:

Gov. Terry McAuliffe

Virginia Dept. of Agriculture and Consumer
Services

Washington:

Washington Department of Ecology

West Virginia:

Attorney General Patrick Morrissey

West Virginia Dept. of Environmental
Protection, Deputy Secretary

Wisconsin:

Attorney General Brad Schimel

Wisconsin Dept. of Natural Resources

Wyoming: